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DOR Offers Relief To Tropical Storms' Victims

ATLANTA – Businesses or individuals in the Presidential Disaster Area that was struck by either Tropical Storm Bonnie or Hurricane Charley are eligible for tax extensions and assistance from the Georgia Department of Revenue, Commissioner Bart L. Graham announced today.

"We want to assure all taxpayers affected by the tropical storms that we will do all we can to assist them during this difficult period," said Commissioner Graham.

Commissioner Graham added that "affected businesses or individuals in the Presidential Disaster Area will be given a 30-day filing extension by writing 'Tropical Storm August 2004' across the top of their returns."

Taxpayers having questions or needing assistance should contact DOR's main office in Atlanta at (404) 417-2400.

The disaster area consists of 25 Florida counties.

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